

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Endowments Department – E.G. District – Allegations against Sri M. Raghunath, former E.O., Sri Veera Venkata Satyanarayana Swamy Vari Temple, Annavaram – Initiation of Disciplinary proceedings under rule 20 of A.P.C.S.(CC&A) Rules, 1991 – Articles of Charges – Issued.

REVENUE (VIG.IV.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 566 .

Dated the 16th of April, 2010.

Read the following:-

- 1) From the G.A.(V&E) Dept., U.O.Note No.3, (C.No.1494/V&E/D3/2007), Dt.23.06.2009.
- 2) Govt. Memo No.307222/Vig.IV(1)/2009-1, dt.26.12.2009.

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O R D E R:

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri M. Raghunath, Joint Commissioner, Endowments Department and former Executive Officer, Sri Veera Venkata Satyanarayana Swamy Vari Temple, Annavaram in accordance with the procedure laid down under rule 20 of A.P.C.S.(CC&A) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of Articles of charge (Annexure-I). A statement of imputations of misconduct/misbehaviour (Annexure-II). A list of documents by which and a list of witnesses (Annexure-III & IV) by whom the proposed Articles of Charge are sustained.

3. Sri M. Raghunath, Joint Commissioner, Endowments Department and former Executive Officer, Sri Veera Venkata Satyanarayana Swamy Vari Temple, Annavaram is directed to submit his written statement of Defence within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order.

4. Sri M. Raghunath, Joint Commissioner, Endowments Department and former E.O., Sri Veera Venkata Satyanarayana Swamy Vari Temple, Annavaram is informed that an enquiry will be held only in respect of those Articles of Charge which are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each Article of Charge in writing.

5. Sri M. Raghunath, Joint Commissioner, Endowments Department and former E.O., Sri Veera Venkata Satyanarayana Swamy Vari Temple, Annavaram is also informed that if he does not submit his Written Statement of Defence on or before the date specified in Para 3 above, further action will be processed based on material available on record exparte.

6. Attention of Sri M. Raghunath, Joint Commissioner, Endowments Department and former E.O., Sri Veera Venkata Satyanarayana Swamy Vari Temple, Annavaram is invited to rule 24 of A.P.C.S (Conduct) Rules, 1964 under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further her interest in respect of matter pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings, it will be

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presumed that he is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of rule 24 of A.P.C.S.(Conduct) Rules, 1964.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

K.V. RAMANA CHARY
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri M. Raghunath, Joint Commissioner, Endowments Department & former E.O., Sri Veera Venkata Satyanarayana Swamy Vari Temple, Annavaram **through** the Commissioner, Endowments Department, A.P., Hyderabad.

The Commissioner, Endowments Department, A.P., Hyderabad.

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ANNEXURE-I

STATEMENT OF ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI M. RAGHUNATH, JOINT COMMISSIONER, ENDOWMENTS DEPARTMENT AND FORMER EXECUTIVE OFFICER, SRI VEERA VENKATA SATYANARAYANA SWAMY VARI TEMPLE, ANNAVARAM.

That Sri M. Raghunath, Joint Commissioner, Endowments Department and former Executive Officer, Sri Veera Venkata Satyanarayana Swamy Vari Temple, Annavaram did not follow the rule of reservation while recruiting the staff of the temple by recruiting 42% in O.C. category and 1% in S.T. category against 54% and 6% earmarked in the categories respectively, which is against the guidelines of G.O.Ms.No.65, General Administration (SER.D) Department dt.15.02.1997.

ANNEXURE-II

STATEMENT OF IMPUTATION OF MISCONDUCT OR MISBEHAVIOUR IN SUPPORT OF THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI M. RAGHUNATH, JOINT COMMISSIONER, ENDOWMENTS DEPARTMENT AND FORMER EXECUTIVE OFFICER, SRI VEERA VENKATA SATYANARAYANA SWAMY VARI TEMPLE, ANNAVARAM.

That Sri M. Raghunath Joint Commissioner, Endowments Department while working as Executive Officer, Sri Veera Venkata Satyanarayana Swamy Vari Temple, Annavaram has committed the following irregularities:-

That Sri M. Raghunath, former E.O., Sri Veera Venkata Satyanarayana Swamy Vari Temple, Annavaram did not follow the rule of reservation while recruiting the staff of the temple by recruiting 42% in O.C. category and 1% in S.T. category against 54% and 6% earmarked in the categories respectively, which is against the guidelines of G.O.Ms.No.65, G.A.(Ser.D) Deptt., dt.15.02.1997.

Thus the Charged Officer by above mentioned act has exhibited lack of integrity, devotion to duty and acted in a manner which will place his official position under embarrassment and thereby contravened rule 3 of A.P.Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

Thus Sri M. Raghunath while working as Executive Officer, Sri Veera Venkata Satyanarayana Swamy Vari Temple, Annavaram has therefore, made himself liable for disciplinary action.

ANNEXURE-III

LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI M. RAGHUNATH, JOINT COMMISSIONER, ENDOWMENTS DEPARTMENT AND FORMER EXECUTIVE OFFICER, SRI VEERA VENKATA SATYANARAYANA SWAMY VARI TEMPLE, ANNAVARAM ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED.

- 1) The General Administration (Vigilance & Enforcement) Deptt., U.O.Note No.3 (C.No.1494/V&E/D3/2007), Dt.22.06.2009.

ANNEXURE-IV

LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHICH THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI M. RAGHUNATH, JOINT COMMISSIONER, ENDOWMENTS DEPARTMENT AND FORMER EXECUTIVE OFFICER, SRI VEERA VENKATA SATYANARAYANA SWAMY VARI TEMPLE, ANNAVARAM ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED.

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